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July 10, 1975

Lt. Gen. Vernon Walters Deputy Director Central Intelligence Agency Washington, D.C. 20505

Dear General Walters:

This will confirm arrangements made by Clay Swanzy of my office and Mr. George Cary, legislative counsel at CIA, for you to appear with me, Congressmen Bob Sikes of Florida and Congressman Trent Lott of Mississippi on a special taping for WKRG-TV, Mobile, Ala.

Congressmen Sikes and Lott and I share the talk show each week, and discussion centers on timely topics. We would welcome any suggested topics from you prior to the time we tape.

The Rayburn House Recording Studio, Room B-310, has been booked for 11 a.m. Monday July 28.

Prior to that time, Mr. Swanzy will call Mr. Cary and together come up with a suggested list of items for us to discuss.

The program is scheduled to be broadcast over WKRG-TV, Mobile, Ala., Sunday Aug. 3, at approximately 5:30 CDT in the afternoon.

We look forward to having you on our program. meantime, would you please forward a copy of your resume to Mr. Swanzy's attention in my office. Attached you will find my resume. I am asking Mr. Lott and Mr. Sikes to send you their's and, in return, would you please forward Mr. Sikes a copy to the attention of Mrs. Jeanne Timmons, and Mr. Lott a copy, to the attention of Mr. Tom Houston.

Sincerely,

Jack Edwards

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Jack Edwards 2439 House Office Building Washington, D. C. 20515 District Offices: Mobile, Alabama Grove Hill, Alabama

Political

First elected to the U. S.House of Pepresentatives from the First District of Alabama, November 3, 1964, to the 89th Congress. Now serving his eleventh year.

Serves on the powerful Appropriations Committee. His Appropriations Subcommittees include the Defense Subcommittee and the Transportation Subcommittee. In January, 1975, he became the senior Republican on the Defense Subcommittee.

Secretary of the House Republican Conference which makes him a part of the nine-man House Republican Leadership.

Now serving his seventh year on the important and influential House Republican Policy Committee.

Serves on the House Republican Research Committee.

Delegate to the 1972 Republican National Convention where he also served on the Platform Committee.

Acted as coordinator of the successful effort in Washington to assure construction funds for the Tennessee-Tombigbee Waterway.

Elected Secretary of the Republican Freshman Class, 89th Congress. Served on Merchant Marine and Fisheries Committee, and Government Operations Committee from 1965-68.

Legal

Practiced Law in Mobile, 1954-1964, where he served as Secretary of the Mobile Bar Association and President of the Mobile Junior Bar Association.

Education

LLB, School of Law, University of Alabama, 1954.
BS in Commerce and Business Administration, University of Alabama, 1952.

C. Novel School Academy and College Preparatory, 1947.

U. S. Naval School, Academy and College Preparatory, 1947-48. Shades-Cahaba High School-Homewood, Alabama (Birmingham). Edgewood Grammar School-Homewood, Alabama (Birmingham).

College Activities

President, Student Government Association, University of Alabama, 1952-53.

President, Kappa Alpha Social Fraternity, 1951-53.

Instructor, Business Law, School of Commerce, University of Alabama, 1954.

Omicron Delta Kappa and other college honoraries. Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities.

Church

Elder, Presbyterian Church.

Civic and Business

Member of the Board of Regents, Spring Hill College, Mobile.
Member of the Board of Directors, Alabama Council on Fconomic
Education.

Chosen one of the Outstanding Young Men in America by U. S. Junior Chamber of Commerce, 1964.

President, Mobile Junior Chamber of Commerce, 1961-62, and chosen the Outstanding Local President of Alabama Junior Chamber of Commerce that year (78 Chapters in the State). Served as Judge, Ten Outstanding Young Men of America, 1974. General Chairman, America's Junior Miss Pageant, 1960. President, Alabama Deep Sea Fishing Rodeo, 1956-57 Former Member, Transportation Advisory Committee to Mobile

City Planning Commission.
Division Chairman, United Fund, 1960.
Honorary Member, West Mobile Kiwanis.

Honorary Member, Mobile Lions Club.
Board of Trustees, Choral Arts Society, Washington, D. C.
Man of the Year (Alabama), 1972, 1973, National Federation of
Independent Businessmen,

Watchdog of Treasury Award, 1965-74.

Military

U. S. Marine Corps - July 1946-July 1948, Corporal.
U. S. Marine Corps - September 1950-September 1951, Sergeant.

Personal

Born Birmingham, Alabama - September 20, 1928.

Married January 30, 1954, to former Jolane Vander Sys of Mobile.

Children: Susan Lane Edwards - Age 20

Richard Arnold Edwards - Age 16